

Docket No.: SON-2058/YAM

(PATENT)

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Patent Application of:

Yasumasa Mizushima et al.

Confirmation No.: 9700

Application No.: 09/980,252

Art Unit: 3627

Filed: February 21, 2002

Examiner: Ronald Laneau

For: CONCENTRATED PHYSICAL

**DISTRIBUTION SYSTEM** 

FOR CARGO AND METHOD THEREFOR

## AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION

MS Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

## **INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS**

In response to the Office Action dated September 5, 2006, please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 6 of this paper.



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